



June 5, 2002

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.,
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of Review of the Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers, CC Docket No. 01-338;

Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98; and

Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications Capability, CC Docket No. 98-147.

Notice of Oral Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Ms. Salas:

On Tuesday, June 4, 2002 Peter Pitsch of Intel met with Dorothy Atwood, Jeff Carlisle, Michelle Carey, Brent Olson and Scott Bergman of the Wireline Competition Bureau.

The discussion considered Intel's support of the analysis and policy recommendations of the High Tech Broadband Coalition regarding new last mile broadband facilities filed in its comments in the above referenced proceedings. Specifically, Mr. Pitsch stated that such new broadband facilities should not be subject to Section 251 unbundling, that this

recommendation would promote facilities-based competition and broadband deployment, and that it is consistent with the goals and requirements of the 1996 Telecommunications Act. He stated the recent DC Circuit Court regarding line sharing is important and helpful in this regard, because it requires the FCC to apply Section 251 in the context of the larger broadband market. He also stated that the unbundling issues are the most important broadband issues facing the FCC and should be considered expeditiously and resolved before other broadband issues. Finally, he stated that Intel was deliberating on several issues raised in the wireline and cable information services proceedings and would likely participate in those proceedings through one of its trade groups.

In a separate meeting on June 5, 2002, Mr. Pitsch met with Marcia MacBride, John Cody and Jun An of the Chairman Michael Powell's office. That discussion covered the same major points relevant to the above referenced proceedings.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, an original and one copy of this letter are being submitted to the Secretary's Office and a copy is being provided to each of the above referenced FCC personnel. Please inform me if any questions should arise in connection with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

Peter K. Pitsch

Attachment.

cc:

Dorothy Atwood

Jeff Carlisle

Michelle Carey

Brent Olson

Scott Bergman

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